

**Wylie Carlyle**

**Athlete: Football**

**Class of 1959**

**Wylie Carlyle, a 1959 alumnus, was a standout athlete in both football and track, but his noteworthy accomplishments were mainly achieved in football. His junior year in 1957, he earned 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All-Sunset League honors as a receiver. His senior season was especially memorable as he was selected 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-Sunset League as a defensive back. He was also selected 1st Team All-County as defensive back, and was chosen to compete in the first Orange County All-Star Game in 1959.**

**After high school he was a starter on the Santa Ana Junior College National Championship Team that won the Junior College Rose Bowl in 1962. From there he went on to start on the Whittier College football team that won the SCIAC Championship in 1964.**

**After college, Carlyle returned to his Alma Mater where he taught and coached for 32 years. Before retiring in 2001, he had worked as an assistant boys and girls track coach for 25 years, he coached girls' and boys' basketball and frosh football for 20 years, and he worked with the varsity football team as an assistant coach for seven years.**

**Carlyle was also selected Teacher of the Year for Santa Ana High School in 1991-1992.**